THE MADRAS LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Wednesday, the 29th March 1961.

The House met in the Assembly Chamber, Fort St. George, at half past eight of the clock, the Deputy Speaker (SRI B. BHAKTHAVATSALU NAIDU) in the Chair.

I.—QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

STARRED QUESTIONS.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : The Hon. Minister for Industries is not here now. We will take up his questions afterwards.

Survey and Land Records Department (temporary establishment)

* 1152 *Q.*—SRI A. A. RASHEED (on behalf of SRI A. GOVINDASAMI) : கனம் ரெவின்யூ அமைச்சர் தயவு செய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விக்குப் பதில் அளிப்பாரா—

நில அளவை, பதிவுத் துறையில் உள்ள தற்காலிகப் பதவிகள் எத்தனை ? அவைகளை அப்படி வைத்திருப்பதின் காரணமென்ன ?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : A statement [a] showing the number of temporary posts is placed on the table of the House.

Temporary posts are created for attending to items of work which are temporary in nature and are expected to be completed within some period (e.g.), survey of estates taken over and the posts are retained only until the work is completed. The posts are abolished after the work is completed or the necessity for the posts ceases.

SRI S. M. ANNAMALAI : ஸார், இந்த செட்டில்மெண்ட் வேலை முடிந்த பிறகு அவர்களை வேலையிலிருந்து நீக்காமல் மறுபடியும் அவர்களுக்கு வேலை கொடுக்கப்படுமா ? அதற்காக சர்க்கார் என்ன முயற்சி செய்து கொண்டிருக்கிறது ?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : As far as possible these people are absorbed in other ways.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Sir, whereas it is possible to keep some of these officers like Head Draftsman, Junior Draftsman, etc., on temporary basis, is it right to keep a gazetted post like the Assistant Director of Survey and Land Records still on temporary basis?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : Sir, this work is considered to be a temporary one. I can only say that the duration of the period of employment could not be forecast with any accuracy. Therefore we consider them as temporary men.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : I think we can take up question Nos. 1153 and 1154 together as they relate to the same subject and the Hon. Minister can reply to both of them.

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[a] Printed as Appendix I on page 409 infra.